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## **Environmental and Social Completion Sheet (ESCS)**

## **Overview**

Project Name: ALCAZAR PV I II III

Project Number: 2021-0601 Country: Spain

Project Description: The project concerns the financing of three solar PV farms in

the Spanish region of Castilla-La Mancha, for a total capacity of 150 MWp. Allocation under Framework Loan (FL) 2020-

0452.

## **Summary of Environmental and Social Assessment at Completion**

EIB notes the following Environmental and Social performance and key outcomes at Project Completion.

The project is an allocation under the operation TITAN SOLAR PV GREEN FRAMEWORK LOAN (2020-0452). The project consisted of the construction and operation of three adjacent solar photovoltaic (PV) plants, Alcazar I, Alcazar II and Alcazar III (50 MWp each), for a total capacity of 150 MWp. The scope included the common substation Alcazar SE 30/220kV located at the centre of the cluster and a 220 kV transmission line of c. 21 km connecting the common substation to the existing substation SE Arenas de San Juan 220 kV (property of the transmission system operator – TSO). The project is located in the Spanish the region of Castilla-La Mancha

The project was fully operating in May 2022. The promoter reported no significant environmental or social issue during the implementation and operation of the project.

The ESDS included an undertaking for the promoter to demonstrate that the measures foreseen in the EIA reports and the environmental consents, including measures to avoid, reduce and mitigate the impact, were put in place during the construction and operational phases. The promoter reported that the implementation of mitigation measures has been in line with the requirements under the respective environmental consents (e.g. for protection of vegetation, fauna, soil, air quality and landscape integration measure). Some measures are on-going during the operational phase, such as the avifauna monitoring programmes.

The lenders technical and legal advisers have reviewed the environmental monitoring reports prepared by the promoter and confirmed that appropriate measures had been taken to protect vegetation, fauna, soil, air quality and landscape, and that fauna monitoring is also being carried out, all in accordance with the measures established in the environmental consents as well as in the environmental monitoring plans.

## Summary opinion of Environmental and Social aspects at completion:

EIB is of the opinion based on reports from the promoter and the inputs provided by Lenders' Supervisors that the Project has been implemented in line with EIB Environmental and Social Standards, applicable at the time of appraisal.